AGENCY FISCAL ESTIMATE OF PROPOSED REGULATION

Agency Submitting Regulation: <u>Department of Consumer Protection</u> Date: 04-16-2012

Subject Matter of Regulation: Continuing Education for Electricians

Regulation Section No.: 20-334d-1(d) Statutory Authority: 4-168 and 20-334d (2011 P.A. 247)

Other Agencies Affected: n/a

Effective Date Used In Cost Estimate: Upon Passage (Filing with the Secretary of the State).

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SUMMARY OF COST AND REVENUE IMPACT OF PROPOSED REGULATION

Agency: Department of Consumer Protection Fund Affected: n/a

	First Year	Second Year	Full Operation
Number of Positions	n/a	n/a	n/a
Personal Services	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Expenses	\$0	\$0	\$0
Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$0
Grants	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total State Cost or (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Estimated Revenue Gain or (Loss)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total Net State Cost or (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of State Impact of Regulation:

No fiscal impact is anticipated. The Department of Consumer Protection currently implements the existing regulation concerning continuing education classes for electricians. No additional costs for enforcement or compliance are anticipated.

Explanation of Municipal Impact of Regulation:

No impact on municipalities is anticipated. The Department has jurisdiction over these regulations.

Explanation of Small Business Impact of Regulation:

This proposed regulation merely reduces the minimum number of hours of annual continuing education classes from seven (7) hours to four (4), but allows the Electrical Work Board to ask the Commissioner to increase the classroom time, as needed, up to a maximum of seven (7) hours. Please see the attached <u>Small Business Impact Statement</u> for more details.

Is a regulatory flexibility analysis required pursuant to C.G.S. 4-168a? No.



